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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Vasily a. Topolkaraev et al.

Appln. No.: 09/840,755

Filed: April 23, 2001

For: ARTICLES COMPRISING  
BIODEGRADABLE FILMS HAVING  
ENHANCED DUCTILITY AND  
BREATHABILITY

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated January 13, 2009 and Advisory Action dated March 23, 2009 for a period of 1 month(s).

Applicant is:  small entity (per 37 CFR 1.27)       other than small entity

<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$130.00	\$65.00
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 28, 2009

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